

deep and lasting harm on our political and Constitutional system. This is the real Constitutional crisis. I do not believe it is accidental that all of our nation's encounters with Presidential impeachment come following periods of great national turmoil—either the executive or legislative branch attempting to use extra-constitutional means of imposing its will on the policy of the nation. Like the attempt to impeach President Johnson in the wake of the Civil War and the debate over how to incorporate African Americans into the body politic or the attempt of President Nixon to undermine his political opponents in the closing days of the War in Vietnam; current attempts to undo the results of two Presidential elections will leave deep, lingering wounds on our nation, but, in the long run, will fail in their attempt to make an end run around the will of the people.

Undoing our Constitution will not advance the search for solutions to the great national and international problems facing America: global economic crisis and growing economic inequality, the undoing of decades of struggle for racial equality in America: the resurgence of national strife around the world, the need to address fundamental problems in health care, education, environment and housing, preserving social security and a host of other critical issues.

I urge my colleagues to oppose this insidious attempt to use, or rather misuse, the power of impeachment.

RETIREMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE REPRESENTATIVE JOHN MILLER

HON. MARION BERRY

OF ARKANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Mr. BERRY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize one of Arkansas' dedicated citizens, on the event of his retirement. It is my privilege to recognize the accomplishments and achievements of Representative John Miller, as he is retiring from the Arkansas State House of Representatives.

State Representative John Miller has served the people of Izard County and portions of Independence and Sharp Counties in the Arkansas General Assembly for 36 years and is retiring this year. As former speaker of the House, John ranks third in seniority in the 100-member House of Representatives.

Before becoming a member of the Legislature, John served as county and circuit clerk in Izard County, chairman of the state Developmental Disabilities Planning Council, as a member of the Melbourne Lions Club and of the chambers of commerce in Melbourne, Batesville, Calico Rock and Horseshoe Bend. He also served on the boards of directors for the Calico Rock Medical Center, the Arkansas Easter Seals Society, North Arkansas Human Services Systems, Inc., Lions World Services for the Blind, the White River Planning and Development District, and Advocacy Services, Inc.

In the 1st District of Arkansas, we say "he is a good man." When you get to Izard County, the roads get wider, the people are happier, life is better and the future is brighter because of John Miller. He is a credit to public

service and humanity and the world is better because he is here. I am proud to call him my friend.

CARLOW COLLEGE'S CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS

HON. WILLIAM J. COYNE

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Mr. COYNE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Carlow College for its efforts in making education available to more working adults.

Carlow College, located in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, was founded in September 1929, as a Catholic institution primarily for women.

Education is very important in today's rapidly changing society. For the past twenty years, Carlow College has continued to make education accessible throughout the Pittsburgh region with the Carlow Weekend College program, started in 1978, and the Carlow Accelerated Program, which began in 1988. These programs give students the choice of either evening courses in the Accelerated Program or weekend classes in the Weekend College. Classes are offered during times that are convenient for most working adults, so that they may continue their education without quitting their regular jobs. This enables many working adults to complete a bachelor's degree. Students may also attend courses designed to upgrade their technical and management skills.

These programs today have 1,100 students and 12 majors. Classes are now offered at nine locations, and the College is currently working to take advantage of the Internet by offering courses on-line.

I want to call national attention to these innovative programs at Carlow College. As Congress works to expand the knowledge and skills of the American work force, it should look at some of the ground breaking programs that are already underway at institutions like Carlow. Thank you.

TRIBUTE TO VIRGINIA HAYES

HON. LOIS CAPPS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Mrs. CAPPS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the memory of Virginia Hayes of Oceano, California. Stricken with Parkinson's disease, Virginia never denied the reality of her diagnosis, living her life with courage and facing her death with dignity; and in so doing truly symbolized the silent struggle of every person afflicted with Parkinson's.

There are at least one million Americans living with Parkinson's, a chronic neurological disorder affecting muscle movement. Its relentless progression systematically robs its victims of every aspect of their lives—a process that dramatically impacts the lives of spouses, families and other loved ones.

While it's commonly accepted that Parkinson's disease is not fatal, no one can tell that to the Hayes family. To the end, Virginia's spirit was strong and brave, but after 23 years of fighting, her otherwise healthy body was ex-

hausted and eventually overcome, her struggle to live defeated by the ravages of Parkinson's.

Just a few months before her death, Virginia took part in the production of an advocacy video designed to educate about Parkinson's disease and promote increased research funding. Titled "The Faces of Parkinson's," the video is a dramatic presentation of Parkinson's effect on individuals and their families. With husband Paul at her side, Virginia allowed us an unflinching look at how Parkinson's devastated her independence and her life. Through her courage, she has left a legacy which serves to inform and inspire us all, and hopefully will in some way lessen the burden on those who share her struggle.

Undoubtedly, this public contribution is but one small piece of the legacy Virginia has left her family and friends—those who stood by her throughout her battle with Parkinson's, as well as other circumstances of life that challenge and reward us all. While Parkinson's disease took her life, it clearly did not define it. The strength it takes to face adversity with resolve and wit is found deep inside. Virginia found and nurtured that place inside herself and understood that love is stronger than death.

I am honored to pay tribute to Virginia Hayes, and to offer our sincerest condolences and best wishes to her husband and her entire family.

CLAY HIGH SCHOOL IN OREGON, OHIO TO REDEDICATE THE CLAY MEMORIAL STADIUM

HON. MARCY KAPTUR

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Ms. KAPTUR. Mr. Speaker, I would like to take this opportunity to recognize the administration, faculty, staff, students and families of Clay High School in Oregon, Ohio. On October 9, 1998, the Clay High School community will rededicate the Clay Memorial Stadium.

In December, 1941, our nation entered the greatest conflict in human history. Young people from all walks of life served in our armed forces. Many soldiers, sailors, airmen and marines came from the Oregon, Ohio, area and served with honor and distinction as we freed the world of Axis terror and fascism. Some of these young people never returned. They gave their lives for freedom with the hope that our nation and their community would always cherish the gifts that America offers.

It was in this spirit that the Oregon, Ohio, community dedicated the Clay Memorial Stadium, in 1948, to the young men and women who gave their lives in defense of liberty. This year marks the 50th Anniversary of the stadium. The Clay High School family and the Oregon community at large are now embarking on a renovation project to make the stadium's World War II memorial the focus of the facility. The community also plans to add memorials to those who served in Korea, Vietnam and the Gulf War. The renovated stadium promises to be a renewed memorial to those who have made the supreme sacrifice and a symbol of youth and hope as we enter the 21st Century.

Mr. Speaker, as the Congressional author of legislation to create a national World War II

Memorial it gives me much pride to represent the citizens of Oregon, Ohio in this great House. They and the nation will never forget the sacrifice of the millions of men and women who gave their lives to freedom in the victory over tyranny that defined world history for the 20th century.

Our community extends warm appreciation to the citizens of Oregon, Ohio as they rededicate the Clay Memorial Stadium.

IN HONOR OF PAT PEACOCK

HON. MARION BERRY

OF ARKANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Mr. BERRY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Pat Peacock, a lady who means a lot to my family and the community she lives in. Ms. Peacock is from Stuttgart, AR, the "Duck and Rice Capital of the World." It is partly because of Ms. Peacock and her ambassadorial role that Stuttgart and the Grand Prairie are known far and wide as the only place to be, for a least a few days, during duck hunting season. She has worked tirelessly to promote her community and Stuttgart has reaped the rewards of all her hard work.

Ms. Peacock was instilled with a sense of service to others. Her love of the outdoors and appreciation for the need to preserve the precious heritage where she grew up, has defined her lifetime involvement to conservation and wildlife organizations. She has given countless hours to ensure that our children will inherit and appreciate what our generation has been privileged to enjoy. Her many awards include: Arkansas Conservationist of the Year, inducted into the Arkansas Outdoor Hall of Fame, member of the Game and Fish Commission, Outstanding Volunteer of the Year for Arkansas and Women's Champion Duck Caller.

Pat Peacock for many years owned and operated a small business in Stuttgart called Majestic Inc. She began as a salesperson while in high school. From that time, Ms. Peacock helped build the business into one with a fine reputation throughout the state. The competition from chain department stores in nearby cities and discount stores that hurt Main Street were tough on her small business but Pat worked hard and fine tuned her business successfully.

Pat has turned another page now. She has moved on to new challenges and opportunities. I wish her well and want to express my thanks for what she has done for the community of Stuttgart, Arkansas and Arkansas County.

RECOGNIZING THE WORK OF THE AIR LAND EMERGENCY RE- SOURCE TEAM

HON. SAM JOHNSON

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 9, 1998

Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I would like to bring to the Congress' attention the work of 17 young men who served the people of Russia from March 3–April 14, 1998,

by remodeling an orphanage in Moscow to improve the living conditions. These young men paid their own way and learned the lessons sacrifice, hard work and commitment to their fellow man. You know the Bible says, "Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." These young men should be commended for their willingness to serve others: Daniel Falkenstine, Texas; David Franzen, Wisconsin; Peter Franzen, Wisconsin; Rob Gray, Indiana; Nathan Hoggatt Texas; David Kress, Alabama; John Munsell, Ohio; Robert Nicolato, Ohio; John Nix, Michigan; Steve Nix, Michigan; Timothy Petersen, Georgia; Todd Teepell, Louisiana; Joshua Thomas, Oregon; Neil Waters, Texas; Jared Wickam, Illinois; and Amadi Williams, California.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to bring to the attention of this Congress, 56 men who gave of themselves to help the people of Omaha, Nebraska in the wake of the snow disaster which hit this city in the late fall of 1997. These men traveled many miles at their own expense to assist the citizens in removing debris and fallen trees. These men are to be commended for their sacrifice, dedication and commitment to those in need: Jonathan Bendickson, British Columbia; Brian Biddle, Ohio; William Bradford, Arizona; Jacory Brady, Colorado; Jesse Brown, Venezuela; Trevor Cangelosi, Louisiana; Jonathan Carlisle, Missouri; Daniel Chapman, Michigan; Patrick Chapman, Michigan; Thomas Chapman, Michigan; James Connelly, California; Stephen Copu, Illinois; Jason Dandurand, Washington; Steve Dankers, Wisconsin; Brendon Dees, Missouri; Richard Dizney, Washington; Daniel Falkenstine, Texas; Stever Farrand, Colorado; Bret Fogel, Ohio; Ronald Fuhrman, Michigan; Robert Gray, Indiana; David Hansen, Oregon; Ben Hardbuck, Texas; David Hens, Nebraska; Daniel Hess, Nebraska; Nathan Hoggatt, Texas; Joshua Horvath, Texas; and Geary Howell, Mississippi.

Joshua Irving, Texas; Aaron Jongsma, Ontario; Nathan Jongsma, Ontario; Caleb Kaspar, Oregon; Justin King, Michigan; Jason Kingston, Texas; Robert Matlack III, Mississippi; Jay Miller, Nebraska; Samuel Mills, Texas; Bill Moore, Texas; Benjamin Moore, Iowa; Marc Moore, Iowa; Nathanael Nazario, Puerto Rico; Robert Nicolato, Ohio; Aaron Pennington, Nebraska; Nathan Pennington, Nebraska; Jason Raymond, Mississippi; Vladimir Robles, Dominican Republic; Eric Rozeboom, Michigan; Jason Ruggles, Michigan; Jeremy Savage, Washington; Jonathan Schultz, Mississippi; Chad Sikora, Michigan; Daniel Storm, Nebraska; John Tanner, Michigan; Todd Teepell, Louisiana; Neil Waters, Texas; and Patrick Walsh, Florida.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to recognize 15 men who gave their time and talent from January 14–March 7, 1998, to assist the citizens of La Luz, Oaxaca, Mexico in cleaning up debris and repairing roads washed out in the wake of a hurricane that thrashed this city in the early months of 1998. The Mayor of San Pedro Tututepec, Oaxaca invited these men to promote hope, good will and charity between the United States and Mexico. They should be commended for their sacrifice and commitment to serve their fellow man in a time of great need: Samuel Dandurand, Washington; Daniel Davis, California; Paul Elliott, Wyoming; Caleb Kaspar, Oregon; Matthew Lindquist, Michigan; Jason Luksa, Texas; Ben Mirecki,

Ontario; Keon Pendergast, California; Matthew Pierce, Mississippi; Isaac Reichardt, Michigan; Greg Rozeboom, Michigan; David Thomas, Texas; Patrick Walsh, Florida; Daniel Weed, New York; and Jesse Young, Arkansas.

Mr. Speaker, I want to commend 147 men who spend nearly a month in the city of Birmingham, Alabama last spring to help clear debris and remove trees uprooted by a tornado. Working under the direction of the Rock Creek County Emergency Management Agency, these men gave their time and talent, from April 10–May 13, 1998, to help those in need. I believe that at a time when so many in our society put themselves first, these men sacrificed for others and in the process learned valuable lessons about hard work and dedication: Jeffrey Achenbach, Tennessee; Samuel Alexander, California; Joseph Amis, Indiana; Chad Anderson, California; Aaron Berg, Ontario; Nathan Beskow, Oregon; Daniel Boyd, Texas; Caleb Boyette, Florida; Jacob Braddy, Arizona; Jacory Brady, Colorado; Ryan Breese, Illinois; Daniel Buhler, California; Jason Butler, Alabama; Rodian Cabeza, New York; Daniel Chiew, Singapore; Aaron Childress, Arkansas; Frederick Cohrs, Washington; Abram Daher, Washington; Jason Dandurand, Washington; Samuel Dandurand, Washington; Daniel Davies, Indiana; Jeremy Davis, New Jersey; Brendon Dees, Missouri; Jonathan De Haan, Kentucky; Brady Dougan, Arkansas; Benjamin Downey, Colorado; Nathan Downey, Colorado; Randolph Doyer, Texas; Reuben Dozeman, Michigan; Olof Ekstrom, Oregon; Jonathan Elam, Indiana; Paul Elliott, Wyoming; Paul Ellis, Mississippi; and Micah Emmons, Montana.

Andrew Farley, California; Gilbert Fernandez, California; David Fishback, Ontario; Scott Forrester, Tennessee; James Frasure, Ohio; Jeremy Fugleberg, North Dakota; Ronald Fuhrman, Michigan; Jhareme Fuller, Michigan; Joel George, Colorado; Elvio Gross, New York; Michael Hadden, Georgia; James Harry, Michigan; Matthew Harry, Michigan; Zechariah Hamilton, Florida; Adam Hawkins, Arizona; Scott Hayes, New York; David Hens, Ohio; William Hicks, California; Mario Huber, Pennsylvania; Jordan Jaeger, Iowa; Jeremy Jansen, Kansas; Andres Johansson, Washington; Joshua Johnson, Washington; Michael Jones, Texas; Aaron Jongsma, Ontario; Nathan Jordan, Louisiana; Kevin Kelleher, Alabama; Clayton Kelleher, Alabama; Michael Kelleher, Alabama; Lindsay Kimbrough, Illinois; Jason Kingston, Texas; Joshua Knaak, Alberta; Richard Knight, Michigan; James Kimball, North Carolina; Luke Kujacznski, Michigan; Jeremy Kuvik, New York; Joshua Lachmann, Indiana; Aaron Larid, Texas; Daniel Lamb, California; Dustin Ledden, New York; Jesse Long, Washington; Lucas Long, Washington; and Brandon Loverde, New York.

James Lovett, Washington; Jason Luksa, Texas; Joshua McDonald, Florida; James Marsh, North Carolina; Paul Matthewson, Washington; Kirk McCutcheon, California; Charles Mead, Arizona; Christopher Millard, New York; Timothy Mirecki, Ontario; Jason Monnin, Florida; Timothy Moye, Georgia; Nathan Nazario, Washington; Barry Newsom, Alabama; Jonathan Newsom, Alabama; Patrick O'Brien, California; Jonah Offtermatt, Texas; Jeffrey Ogren, Alabama; Jason Orcutt, Alabama; Stephen Parrish, Tennessee; Sean Pelletier, Virginia; James Penner, Ohio; Jason